COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN INQUIRY INTO THE DEVELOPMENT OF)
DEAVERAGED RATES FOR UNBUNDLED) ADMINISTRATIVE
NETWORK ELEMENTS) CASE NO. 382

<u>ORDER</u>

On October 1, 2004, the Commission granted the joint motion for an extension of time submitted by Kentucky ALLTEL, Inc. ("ALLTEL") and NuVox Communications, Inc. ("NuVox"). The parties asserted that additional time was needed for discovery. On October 22, 2004, NuVox filed an additional request. Because of delays in the execution of a protective agreement, NuVox has not yet completed its discovery of documents from one of ALLTEL's vendors. ALLTEL does not object to the extension. The hearing remains scheduled for January 25, 2005.

Having considered the request and finding it reasonable, and having been otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission HEREBY ORDERS that:

- 1. By no later than December 10, 2004, parties shall submit prefiled direct testimony.
- 2. By no later than January 7, 2005, parties shall submit prefiled rebuttal testimony.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 22nd day of October, 2004.

By the Commission

Commissioner W. Gregory Coker did not participate in the deliberations or decision concerning this case.

ATTEST:

Executive Director